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09/557,454	04/24/2000	Lester J Kozlowski	98RSS367	7595

TITLE OF INVENTION: CMOS IMAGER HAVING A JFET ADAPTED TO DETECT PHOTONS AND PRODUCE AN AMPLIFIED ELECTRICAL SIGNAL

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Applicant(s): **Kozlowski, et al.**Application Serial No.: **09/557,454**Filed: **April 24, 2000**

Title: **CMOS Imager Having a JFET
Adapted to Detect Photons and
Produce an Amplified Electrical
Signal**

Group Art Unit: **2612**Examiner: **Kozlowski, Lester J.**Notice of Allowance Date: **September 27, 2005.**ISSUE FEE AND FEE FOR FIVE COPIES OF THE ISSUED PATENT

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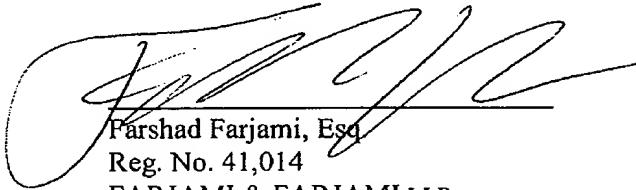
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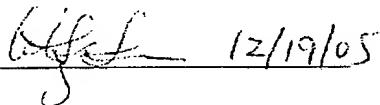
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